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In re Application of)	
Ulrich Fotheringham et al)	Group: 1731
Serial No. 09/938,072)	•
Filed: August 23, 2001)	Examiner: J.J. Derrington
Title: METHOD AND A	PPARATUS FOR)	
CERAMIZING TH	E STARTING GLASS)	
OF GLASS-CERA	MICS)	

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

In response to the Office Action of February 2, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.